TODAY'S PRICES.
Pesos, 76; Mexican gold, $50; nacionales, $19; bar silver, H. & H. quotations, 99¼c; copper, 19@19¼c; grain, lower; livestock, irregular; stocks, weak.

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PLOT SHOWN TO TURN FRANCE BOLSHEVIK

GOOD CHANCE FOR A SPLIT IN BOTH OLD PARTIES THIS YEAR

Washington Talks Nothing but Politics and Public Officials Spend People's Money to Round Up Votes, but Republicans Can't Complain as They Did It When They Could; League of Nations Bumps Sore Toes.

By G. A. MARTIN.

WASHINGTON, D. C., May 18.—"Politics is not what it used to be; it is getting so a gentleman can't enter politics any more," says a southern mother to her son, with political aspirations, in the new play, "Just Suppose."

"If more gentlemen would enter that would not be the case," declares the son.

"I wonder," says the mother, "if gentlemen ruin politics or if politics ruin gentlemen."

Whatever politics does, it "makes 'em wild."

Washington is today thinking nothing else and talking nothing else. The confidential clerk of a cabinet member said to me: "You can't go to a social affair any more without getting into a wrangle, even if you are only with people of your own party. We are so divided on candidates and so steeped in politics that we get into rows even at teas and dinners."

Both Parties Divided.

That is true of both parties. The Republicans are "all divided up" and the Democrats are as bad.

Each side will tell you the other is so badly split that there is no chance of its election—and then hastily ask you what you think about it.

The thing is that Republicans believe the Democrats haven't a ghost of a show and the Democrats think the same thing about the Republicans—yet each is afraid he is wrong. That there are schisms in both parties there is no doubt.

That there is to be a bolt in the Republican convention, the Democrats will tell you is certain. That Bryan and his supporters are going to "lick Wilson to a standstill" at San Francisco the Republicans will tell you; then they will say they hope he doesn't for they want to see the Democrats go before the people on a Wilson platform.

They all seem honest in what they say, for Washingtonians, when they utter a thing about politics, take themselves seriously and believe they have actually solved the thing.

Tumulty Sees Victory.

Secretary Tumulty, when I talked with him, after presenting my letter of introduction from Zach Lamar Cobb, said: "The Republicans haven't a chance in the world to win. They are so badly split over the peace treaty and many other important questions that they will never get together. I never saw it when the outlook was better for a Democratic victory, because the people want to get and give a square deal."

Incidentally, Mr. Tumulty said the president "is very much better."

Postmaster general Burleson was the same way about it, only he discussed the Democratic view at greater length. After asking that his regards be given to Will and Richard Burges, W. W. Turney and Capt. H. D. Slater, he said:

"Texas is going to play a prominent part in the convention at San Francisco. The state is going to vote solidly for the league of nations. The rest of the country, when the ballot is cast, is going to support the president.

"We all realize the world responsibility that is upon us and the American people are not the sort who want to accept something without shouldering a share of responsibility.

Must Take Worldwide Stand.

"We are in such a position that we must take part in world affairs and our people are not going to have it said that we shirked a duty. If we are going to participate in the affairs of the world, then we are going to shoulder our part of the burden of enforcing rules necessary for the peace and prosperity of the world."

Others might be quoted along the same line and then Republicans could be quoted, as they have been already, on how the Democratic party is going all to pieces and the people will have none of the league of nations. They cite the opposition of Bryan and a lot of Democratic leaders to the league of nations and say there is more opposition in the Democratic party to the Wilson program than there is opposition in the Republican party to a peace treaty with reservations such as Lodge and the oldtime bosses or leaders—whichever you prefer.

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Chinese Bandits Give Back Doll To American Girl

Hankow, China, May 18.—Chinese bandits recently held up and robbed two missionary families of the church mission society, traveling by houseboat on the Yangtse from their post in Szechuan to Shanghai. The robbery occurred in Hupeh province, near Ichang.

The victims were Mr. and Mrs. Caldwell and Mr. and Mrs. Whiteside, who were compelled to bring their craft to land by firing from the shore.

About 20 robbers boarded it and looted everything that took their fancy. A celluloid doll belonging to an infant was restored only when the wails of the child touched the hearts of the robbers.

BEATEN, SHOT IN LABOR FEUD

Chicago, Ill., May 18.—The latest victim of Chicago labor feuds, John Kikulski, leader of the stockyards labor council, was today in a hospital suffering wounds regarded as probably fatally. He was beaten and shot last night on his way home from a labor meeting.

He named two other officials of the stockyards labor council as the men he believed to be his assailants.

Recent charges and counter charges of embezzlement were said to have caused bitterness among stockyards labor leaders and were believed responsible for the attack.

Pat Neff Asserts He Is for the Law as Against Both Capital and Labor

San Antonio, Texas, May 18.—Pat Neff in a speech last night referred to himself as the man who next January is going to be the state cleaner of Texas. He said Texas needs a man who will spit, slap and dab in the middle the political slate of Texas and wipe it clean with the sleeve of his right arm. Every time Neff referred to himself as Texas's next governor he drew applause.

Neff said he favors a woman member of the state prison board and women on other Texas boards. Neff charged the present fee system as being inefficient, and said it should be amended or abolished.

Referring to how he stood on the labor question, Neff said there is capital, labor and the law, and he is for the law against both of them.

"The man who toils has a right to organize and quit when he wants to," said Neff.

VETOED BILL REDRAFTED AND PASSED IN HOUSE

Washington, D. C., May 18.—The $104,000,000 legislative, executive and judicial appropriation bill was passed unanimously by the house yesterday after it had been redrafted by the appropriations committee to meet the objection that led to its veto last week by president Wilson. The president held that congress sought by a rider to interfere with executive functions in giving the joint congressional committee on printing supervision of government publications. The bill now goes to the senate

COLD STORAGE BILL PASSED.

Washington, D. C., May 18.—The cold storage bill, to regulate such food as may be preserved, passed by the senate yesterday, went to the house today.

'MOVE FREIGHT' IS CRY OVER ALL U. S.

State Boards Rallying to Rail Aid on Federal Commission Plea.

NEED WEEKS TO RESTORE TRAFFIC

Shippers Still Complaining and Many Embargo Suggestions Made.

WASHINGTON, D. C., May 18.—Responding to telegraphic appeals, state railway and public service commissions throughout the country today were working in conjunction with the Interstate Commerce commission in an effort to relieve practically nationwide freight congestion.

Hundreds of investigators were at work getting data on conditions and most of this was expected to be received tonight. The commissioners pointed out it will require possibly weeks before anything like normal transportation conditions can be resumed.

In the meantime, an increasing number of complaints from shippers continue to come in and numerous suggestions for embargoes and priorities have been made.

URGES PUBLIC WAR ON PRICES

Washington, D. C., May 18.—Profiteering was denounced in the senate today by senator Walsh, Democrat, Massachusetts, who asserted the extortions of the profiteers are the principal cause of widespread unrest and that congress has been "culpably inactive" in moving to relieve the situation.

Republican leadership and majorities in congress, the Massachusetts senator said, are responsible for failure to enact anti-profiteering legislation.

"I recommend," said senator Walsh, "that congress promptly inaugurate public trading on a large scale unless exhorbitant prices come down voluntarily and are materially reduced at once."

BAKER URGED TO FREE OBJECTORS

Washington, D. C., May 18.—A committee appointed by the Socialist party called on secretary Baker today to present a memorial asking for the release of conscientious objectors still held in prison. The delegation was headed by a woman, Elvina S. Beals, Berkeley, Calif.

Citing president Wilson's message to congress, in November 1918, saying "thus the war comes to an end," the memorial said, "continued confinement of conscientious objectors is manifestly unjust."

"The reasons for their confinement, if any there were, ceased one and a half years ago," it said. "These young men in an attempt to follow the dictates of their consciences refused to accept military service—many of them because of religious scruples, all of them because of the dictates of their consciences. Conscientious objectors to war are and should be classified as political offenders. We are proud of the fact that freedom of conscience is a cardinal principle of American institutions."

NEW VOCATIONAL TRAINING BUILDING FOR FORT BLISS

A new building is to be erected at Fort Bliss as an addition to the vocational training school. The building will be about the size of the present building and will cost about $12,000. The dimensions will be about 121 by 125 feet. Construction is to start on the building next week.

Under the new arrangement all vocational work is to be centered in the two buildings when the new one is completed. One wing of the new building will house a central distributing library.

POPULATION OF SCRANTON IS SHOWN TO BE 137,783

Washington, D. C., May 18.—Census figures include: Scranton, Pa., 137,783, increase 7961, or 6.1 percent; Norwichtown, Conn., 29,685, increase 1466, or 5.2 percent.

SHIPPING VALUE RULE UPHELD.

Washington, D. C., May 18.—The shipping value ruling of the courts, turning down an interstate commerce commission decision permitting awards of losses based on value at the time of shipment, was upheld by the United States supreme court late yesterday.

Allies Leave U. S. Outside In Fixing German Payment Without Word To America

By DAVID LAWRENCE.

WASHINGTON, D. C., May 18.—Europe is getting down to brass tacks or rather economic sense, overcoming the sentimentalism which has kept the allied world from recognizing until the amount of the German indemnity was fixed and ways were discovered of assisting Germany to pay the same reconstruction would be held back indefinitely.

That is the interpretation which our officials put on the latest conferences between the allied premiers prior to the conference with the Germans at Spa.

Without Official News.

But it must be said at the outset that whatever views are expressed at the treasury department, where the writer made several inquiries today concerning the momentous decisions being made in the European conferences, are based entirely on a reading of newspapers. Significantly and indeed regrettably the United States government does not know a thing that is going on in the important financial conference which generally relates to the whole economic future of the United States.

Treasury officials said it was an unfortunate confirmation of what they had been saying right along, namely that Europe was being compelled to settle the world's financial affairs without the benefit of America's advice or suggestions.

Waiting German Payment.

"While it is true," said one treasury official, "that the United States need not accept the settlement, we will hardly be able to raise such a clamor when indeed we rejected the opportunity that was offered us to be come a member of the league of nations and be represented in these important conferences."

To be sure, our officials take with a grain of salt some of the cablegrams which imply that a new principle of payment of interallied war debts is to be introduced. For instance, one press dispatch declares that France will not be obliged to pay England what she owes the latter until the Germans make their payments on the war indemnity. This might conceivably be extended to apply to American indebtedness, thus making the United States wait for Germany's payments before England or France pay us.

Idea Called Absurd.

But treasury officials say this is absurd. They declare that there is absolutely no relationship between reparation and war indebtedness. They recognize that payments of German reparation money might accelerate the payment of interallied debts and insist that the reparation money never was intended to pay the bills of war itself, but rather rehabilitate France, Belgium and England and assist in the domestic situation of each. To the extent, therefore, that German money helps France internally, it will improve the whole world situation, though it is feared here there will not be much improvement in respect of France until the latter ceases issuing so much paper money and begins to make her budget balance.

Incidentally, talk of having investors absorb Germany's indemnity bonds which are to be issued with the reparation money as security is pronounced impractical here. America, it is asserted, cannot absorb any such bonds, as she hasn't the money.

Year's Lesson in Economics.

Broadly speaking, there is the utmost satisfaction here that the allies are endeavoring to agree among themselves before they approach the Germans at the Spa conference. It is felt that the allied premiers enter the conference with a changed attitude toward Germany. Fully a year had to pass, unfortunately, before the allies were brought to a realization of the correctness of the viewpoint expressed by president Wilson and his financial advisers at the Paris peace conference, namely that the sooner a definite sum was fixed for the Germans to pay out and the sooner arrangements were made to help Germany earn the money to pay her debts, the quicker the world would get back on its feet.

Three factors have prevented Europe from doing 12 months ago what she is accomplishing today. First, premier Lloyd George made an election promise to the general effect that Germany would repay England for her whole war cost. This

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Boy Chess Champion Defeats 20 Veterans

PARIS, France, May 18.—Samuel Rzeszewski, a Polander, eight years old, who has won fame as a chess marvel, justified reports of his ability on Sunday by defeating 20 elderly experts of the Palais Royal Chess club in a simultaneous tournament. The tournament lasted three hours. Sam has been playing chess three years.

WAR NITRATE TO BRING HOT PARTY FIGHT

G. O. P. Charges Mammoth Waste; Democrats Defend Government Plants.

WASHINGTON, D. C., May 18.—Two reports, one by Republicans condemning the government's entire wartime nitrate program and charging reckless waste and extravagance, and the other by Democrats, defending it and charging partisan bias by the majority, were presented today to the house by a special committee which took up the investigation nearly a year ago.

Along with its general condemnations of the government policy, the Republican majority comprising chairman Graham, Illinois, and representative Jeffries, Nebraska, submitted recommendations for future disposal of the Muscle Shoals properties, which representative Garrett, Tennessee, the Democratic member, declared was beyond its province.

Garrett indicated he would make a point of order against the report on that ground. Members said this would open the way for the biggest political fight in the house since the war investigating committee was created.

In the first of its findings, the majority charges that the nitrate program cost the government $116,194,974 and that no nitrates were produced prior to the armistice and that it contributed nothing toward winning the war.

The minority replied that if war expenditures were to be judged by the unexpected end of hostilities, three-fourths of the nation's efforts were useless.

FARMERS OF 8 STATES MEET

Hutchinson, Kan., May 18.—Organization of an association and how to arrive at the average cost of producing a bushel of wheat where among the questions which faced wheat growers of Missouri, Kansas, Oklahoma, Texas, Nebraska, New Mexico, Iowa, and South Dakota, who were here today. About 400 delegates attended.

WOUNDED MAN DOING WELL.

Unless complications ensue, Felipe Carrion, 420 Charles street, who was taken to Hotel Dieu after being found Sunday night at Pera and Martinez streets with six bullet wounds in his head, will recover, it is announced by hospital authorities today.

ESCOBAR LEADS TROOPS SOUTH FROM JUAREZ

Commander May Join Gen. P. Elias Calles in Journey to Mexico City.

CAVALRY FORCES MOVE SOUTHWARD

Troops Gather at Juarez for Concentration of Forces at Capital.

GEN. JOSE GONZALO ESCOBAR, commander of the Chihuahua border military district, will leave shortly, probably some time today, for the south with a force of 1500 men, according to an announcement by Col. H. I. Almada, chief of staff to Gen. Eugenio Martinez, commander of military operations in the state of Chihuahua.

Gen. Escobar probably will leave in Juarez Col. Claudio Fox, with a garrison of 400 cavalry and 250 infantry troops.

Destination Unknown.

The destination of the Juarez commander was not known to Col. Almada, but it is believed that Gen. Escobar's forces will constitute one of the units that will accompany Gen. Plutarco Elias Calles, revolutionary provisional minister of war, in his journey to Mexico City from Juarez.

The forces of more than 6000 cavalry troops bound for Mexico City under the command of Gen. Francisco R. Serrano, revolutionary chief of staff, and Gen. Joaquin Amaro, former commander at Ojinaga, Chihuahua, have reached Tula, Hidalgo, 60 miles northwest of the capital, according to Col. Almada. The division left Irapuato, Guanajuato, Monday, it was said. It is composed of 10 regiments of cavalry, from numbers 21 to 30, inclusive; one battalion of constructing engineers, and two battalions, the Forty-fifth and Forty-sixth, of infantry.

Calles Plans Departure.

Gen. P. Elias Calles, provisional minister of war of Mexico, is expected to leave Juarez Wednesday or Thursday with approximately 2500 troops which will gather there today and tomorrow. Gen. Calles is due in Mexico City on May 24, where he will meet with the Mexican congress, which was called to convene on that day.

Approximately 800 troops have arrived in Juarez to accompany the general south. Part of this contingent was under Gen. Carlos Plank.

Governor May Return.

Gen. Jesus Agustin Castro, the municipal authorities and the foreign consular representatives at Durango, are endeavoring to prevail upon governor Domingo Arrieta, who fled from the capital upon the advance of the revolutionists, to return to the city and join the revolutionary movement, according to Col. Almada. It was believed here that governor Arrieta would shortly declare himself for the Sonora revolution.

Divisional Gen. Benjamin G. Hill has been named revolutionary commander in the states of Nayarit, Colima and Jalisco, with headquarters at Guadalajara, capital of Jalisco, it was announced.

Gen. Sandoval Arrested.

Lieut. Col. Gabino Sandoval, who captured Gen. Felipe Angeles, Villa leader, had been arrested at Parral, Chihuahua, upon suspicion of being unfriendly to the revolution, and is being detained at Chihuahua City, Col. Almada said. Sandoval's forces, composed of home guards of Alivas, Chihuahua, will probably join the revolution, it was predicted.

The military judicial system, interrupted April 26, has been restored, according to Col. Alamada.

Waiting on Congress.

Mexico City, Mex., May 12.—Via Juarez, Mexico, May 18.—(By the Associated Press.—Details of the conference held by the Liberal Revolutionary leaders at the national palace last night (May 12) reveal that governor de la Huerta will call the congress into extraordinary session, May 24, for naming a president ad interim.

Gen. Obregon was named by the conference as commander of the forces in northern Mexico and Gen. Gonzalez as commander in Mexico City and southern Mexico.

All the leaders promised to accept the ad interim president chosen, whoever he might be.

Gonzalez Renounced Power.

Washington, D. C., May 18.—A summary of the state department's latest advices from various parts of Mexico is as follows:

Adhesion of Yucatan to the provisional government in Mexico City was reported today both in department advices and in a cablegram to revolutionary agents here from a special commissioner sent to Yucatan some time ago. The commissioner said governor Castro Morales and Gen. Pablo de la Garcia, military commander under the Carranza government, were in flight, presumably to Cuba.

The revolutionists attach particular importance to the report from Yucatan, because they said it means that Progreso, principal port of the state, would be open under rebel control.

The American embassy at Mexico City reported to the department of state under date of May 16, that Gen. Pablo Gonzalez has publicly surrendered his authority to the "provisional presidency."

In a manifesto, Gen. Gonzalez announced that, to preserve the revolutionary unit, restore tranquility, eliminate the possibility of future conflict and to leave congress untrammeled in its elections of a provisional president, he irrevocably withdraws his candidacy for the next presidential term and will surrender to the provisional president the authority which revolutionary conditions have forced him to assume.

POLICE FIND PLANS TO SEIZE PARIS AND SIX OTHER BIG CITIES

May Day Strike Seen as First Move in Gigantic Program; Hungarians Will Sign Peace Treaty, Budapest Indicates, as Apponyi Quits Mission; Turks, After Clash With Greeks, Reinforce for Drive at Athens.

PARIS, France, May 18.—A gigantic plot has been uncovered, according to announcement made today by the Paris police, to turn France bolshevik. Documents, the police say, show complete evidence that the program was begun with the order for the May day strikes, which, had they been a success, were to have been used as the basis of establishing soviet rule.

The police say the bulk of the evidence was found among the papers seized at the residence of Boris Souvarine, a Socialist editor, arrested yesterday on the charge of having plotted against the safety of the state. Other evidence, they say, was found at the home of Etienne Leveque, a secretary of the federation of railroad men, who also was arrested.

Paris and Six Other Cities.

The police say that soviets had been established and were ready to assume control in Orleans, Tours, Brest, Bordeaux, Marseilles, Strasbourg and Paris.

Charles Rappoport, one of the leaders of the extremist movement, who was a candidate for the chamber of deputies in the November elections, said he expected to be arrested and declared it was true that the aim of the May day strikes was to overthrow the existing rule in France.

Hungary to Sign Pact.

Budapest, Hungary, May 18.—(By the Associated Press).—Hungary will sign the peace treaty presented to her by the allies, it was indicated here yesterday. Count Albert Apponyi, who strongly opposed acceptance of the treaty, has resigned from the peace delegation.

Turks in Drive on Greeks.

Constantinople, Turkey, May 18.—(By the Associated Press).—Greek and Turkish troops have clashed about 25 miles east of Smyrna, where the turks are taking the offensive and apparently are massing reinforcements preparatory to further advances against the Greeks.

French Out of Germany.

Coblenz, Germany, May 17.—American authorities here were informed today from Mayence that all French troops, which have been in Frankfort and other centers in the Main district had returned to the Mayence bridgehead at 9:30 o'clock this morning. Mayors of several of the smaller towns evacuated expressed appreciation of the attitude of the French on withdrawing.

Russians Announce Successes.

London, Eng., May 17.—Successes against the Poles in the fighting on the northerly part of the front are reported by the Russian Soviet government in an official message from Moscow, dated Monday.

The Poles were forced back over the Berezina at one point, it is claimed.

Fighting is still in progress in the Kiev region, with the battle line drawn some fourteen miles to the east of the city, according to the statement.

Would Recognize Siberia.

Moscow, Russia, May 15. (By the Associated Press). — Recognition of the far eastern democratic republic of Siberia has been decided on by the Russian Soviet government. Diplomatic relations between the Soviet government and the far eastern republic will be opened immediately.

Negotiations between the far eastern republic and Japan will continue.

It is expected that negotiations with Japan will hinge around the status of the East Manchurian railway. The Russian Soviet government will probably insist that it retain an interest in this road. It is indicated that the rights of foreign shareholders will be fully protected as the Far Eastern republic recognizes private ownership.

Zionist Delegates Seized.

Seventy-five delegates and alternates to the all Russian Zionist congress which met here late in April have been arrested, according to a statement issued by the extraordinary commission today. It is asserted that the extraordinary secrecy observed regarding the meeting and the fact that a large proportion of those present were not connected with the Zionist movement, led to the arrests.

Investigation, it is alleged, has resulted in the discovery of compromising documents revealing close contact with entente countries. Charges are made that many bombs

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County Hospital Death Mystery Still Unsolved

The mystery about the identity of the man who was taken from the U. S. hotel Saturday night in an unconscious condition and died Sunday at the county hospital without regaining consciousness has not been cleared by the county officers.

The man registered at the hotel under the name of Stanley Norton. He was dressed in new civilian clothes, and it is believed he was a soldier on leave, who had made a trip to his home and was returning to camp, with a few days to spare. Death probably was due to poisoning, it is said.

Four pictures of a girl and one of a frame house were found in his pockets, but he had no papers, evidently having left them with his uniform when he changed to civilian clothes, if the supposition of the authorities that he was a soldier is correct.

A heart, pierced by a dagger, was tattooed on the left forearm.

PATIENTS SAFE FROM BLAZE.

Albuquerque, N. M., May 18.—Patients and physicians asleep were saved when the main building of the Albuquerque sanatorium burned here early yesterday, causing $50,000 loss.

IN A DEADLOCK ON ARMY BILL

Washington, D. C., May 18.—A deadlock on the army reorganization bill was reached today by the senate and house conferees.

Senate provisions to reorganize the force caused the breach and the question will be brought before the house for a vote.

The disagreement, chairman Wadsworth of the senate managers said, came despite an offer from the senate side to strike out the senate provisions for voluntary military training of youths between 18 and 21 years old.

FORTY MEN JOIN LEGION ON FIRST DAY OF DRIVE

Forty ex-service men joined the American Legion Monday, the first day of the special drive of this organization for members. Teams are working out of post headquarters at the chamber of commerce. Some of the teams have not reported yet for prospect lists, Rev. F. M. Johnson, jr., post adjutant said Tuesday. These are expected to be in the field and working by tonight.

TWO HELD TO GRAND JURY.

Jesus Visconti, charged with stealing a tire, rim and inner tube, was held for action by the grand jury by justice Clark Wright at his preliminary hearing Monday. His bond was fixed at $500. Judge Wright also held to the grand jury Manuela De-Pina, charged with attempting to steal a silk shawl worth $50.

Adam Is Given Clean, Close Shave; His Beard Cut Off And Everything; Famous Work Of Art Now Restored

BUDAPEST, Hungary, May 18.—Adam did not wear a beard, according to the dictum of M. Terey, director of the Hungarian national art museum who has eliminated the great ancestor's hirsute adornment in restoring Jordan's famous picture, "Adam and Eve."

Examination of the canvass has shown the beard was not a part of the original picture, but was painted on in the last century, when beards were popular. In the restored work, therefore, Adam has aclean shave.

This canvass was one that escaped the Communists. It was the property of Count Karaosonyi, who gave it to a leader of the Red guard for having aided in saving a valuable collection. Later the picture was sold to the museum for three million crowns.

V. BLASCO IBANEZ of Spain, author of the "Four Horsemen of the Apocalypse," will write a series of articles on

MEXICO

for THE EL PASO HERALD. He has just returned to this country after touring the republic at the time of the Overthrow of Carranza.

Herald Ad from England Finds Missing Relative

A FIVE-LINE advertisement sent from England and inserted in the classified columns of The El Paso Herald reached the person for whom it was intended. The advertisement was as follows:

"William Charles Irving Brealey, son of C. Brealey, Nottingham. Will he please write to Mrs. Atkin, 262 Arkwright street, Nottingham, England, giving his full postal address."

The day after this advertisement appeared a young man came to the office, asking for the original letter, saying that he was the individual desired. He is a student at the School of Mines here.

Bolshevists Organized To Capture Immigrants; Senator Edge Urges More Attention Given Newcomers

NEW YORK, May 18.—Senator Walter E. Edge, of New Jersey, declared today before the National Association of Manufacturers that the great mass of immigrants coming to these shores do not receive sufficient attention and training by the citizens of the country. He believes in an intensified system of investigation, reception and training, as the best means to counteract the radical teachings that are foisted upon the newcomer from the moment he arrives in America.

"I have been told by the commissioner of immigration that the world anarchists, or Bolshevists—call them what you will—have a wonderful organization for capturing every immigrant, almost at the moment of landing, and bringing him under their influence. They have schools, says Mr. Caminetti, of every description, trade schools as well as mental schools. Moreover, they have separate schools for different nationalities, for different races, and for immigrants from different parts of a great nation. A nominal fee of 20 or 25 cents a month is charged and every effort is exerted to get the immigrant under the mental and moral control of the anarchist group.

"At first," says Mr. Caminetti, "the elastic doctrine of socialism is broached, and gradually the immigrant is led through the mire of radicalism into the morass of anarchy. Less than six weeks is needed, I understand, to prepare his mind for welcome reception of communistic doctrines. Anarchistic newspapers and other literature are fed to him in generous doses.

"We are responsible for the hundreds of thousands of souls which annually come to our shores. We have ignored and neglected that responsibility; we are ignoring and neglecting it, and some day, if we do not recognize it and meet it, our

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Daniels, Democrat, Says Penrose, Republican, Originated Charges Pushed By Sims, Of Pennsylvania

WASHINGTON, D. C., May 18.—Senator Penrose, Republican, Pennsylvania, and not rear admiral Sims, originated the basic charges against the navy department contained in the admiral's letter of January 7, secretary Daniels, Democratic cabinet member, asserted today before the senate committee investigating the naval conduct of the war.

Daniels recalled that the senator, in a speech in the senate, August 24, 1918, declared that procrastination on the part of the secretary delayed the termination of the war at least three months; cost $15,000,000,000 and many lives.

The words used by Penrose were almost identical with those used by Sims more than a year later, Daniels said.

"Either admiral Sims is a plagiarist and appropriated his views and charges from senator Penrose or, by the new science of mental telepathy, the views of the senator were communicated to Admiral Sims," declared Daniels. "Penrose comes from Pennsylvania and Sims was appointed to the naval academy from that state."

"It is also worthy of note," he said, "that at the very time Penrose was making this speech, Sims was writing to Capt. Pratt threatening an investigation of the conduct of the war."

Daniels said he would not answer the Penrose charges at length, because his answer to admiral Sims covered the matter fully. He devoted the rest of the day to a resume of the navy department's war construction activities comprising approximately 1000 vessels, nearly three times as many as there were in the entire navy when the war began.

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Headliners In Today's Theaters

ALHAMBRA—
Pantages, Vaudeville.
BIJOU—
"Adventurer," William Farnum.
ELLANAY—
"The Strange Boarder," Will Rogers.
GRECIAN—
"A Virtuous Vamp," Constance Talmadge.
RIALTO—
"The Beggar Prince," Sessue Hayakawa.
UNIQUE—
"The Heart of a Child," Nazimova.
WIGWAM—
"The Luck of the Irish."
(Read amusement ads on page 7.)

Packers Say Meat Down 16 Percent In 12 Months, While Others Of Life Necessities Show Price Increase

CHICAGO, Ill., May 18.—The wholesale price of meat has declined 16 percent in the last year, while the prices of nearly all other necessities have increased, according to the monthly bulletin of the Institute of American Meat Packers.

Figures announced by the packers, comparing meat with other necessities, say the following increases were recorded by other articles while meat decreased:

Cloths and clothing, 64 percent; fuel and lighting, 14 percent; lumber and building material, 57 percent; house and furnishing goods, 51 percent; farm products, 5 percent; food, including meats, 21 percent.

All commodities combined, 26 percent.

Lardner To Write On Conventions

Editor El Paso Herald.

AS I AM NOT a candate for either of the Rep. or Dem. party for president I have consented to the demand of so many of my large folling of readers to cover both conventions for you.

An I would like to cover them good an deep because of the fact they both declined the genrous sacrifice I was willing to make of myself to be a candate with or without a ticket.

I cannot say in advance what I will say about these conventions but I can tell you that it will be imparshul because both sides have ignored the above offer of a genrous sacrifice of myself on the altar of bi-partisan patriotism and so I have nothing to expect from either side but they have from me. They should ought to worry.

Ring W. Lardner.

Lardner's humorous convention reports will appear daily in The Herald. In addition, The Herald will have at the convention its own staff man, G. A. Martin, managing editor, and David Lawrence, whose copyrighted articles on national affairs have long been a feature in this paper.

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